



## Hearrel Ray

May 22, 1929 - July 11, 2013

Hearrel Ray, age 84, of Pounding Mill, Virginia, passed away Thursday, July 11, 2013 at Tazewell Community Hospital in Tazewell, Virginia.

He was born in Pikeville, Kentucky and was the son of the late Wayne and Mary Price Ray. He was a Veteran of the U. S. Army serving in the Korean War. Hearrel was a retired truck driver and was a lifelong resident of the Pounding Mill area. He attended Cedar Bluff Community Church in Cedar Bluff, Virginia. Hearrel was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather. He will be missed by all those who knew and loved him. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Harvey Ray. He is survived by:

His loving wife of 62 years, Gwendolyn Ray

Two Daughters:

Mary Starlette Hill and husband, Bill of Pounding Mill, Virginia

Charlotte Ray Rose and husband, Joseph of Pounding Mill, Virginia

One Son:

Larry Harold Ray and wife, Lisa of Pfafftown, North Carolina

Three Sisters:

Mavis Wysong and husband, Fred of Michigan

Linda Gomache and husband, Bob of Tennessee

Sue Webb and husband, Ronnie of Kentucky

Three Brothers:

Vernon Ray and wife, Fay of Florida

Alvery Ray of Florida

Clarence Ray of Kentucky

Five Grandchildren, Hearrel Benjamin Ray, Cheryl Lynn Ray, Billy Joe Hill, Bryon Hill and Frankie Rose

Also surviving are six great grandchildren along with a host of family and friends.

Funeral services for Hearrel Ray will be conducted at 11:00 am on Monday, July 15, 2013 at Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with Rev. Richard Smith officiating. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Memorial Park in Bluewell, West Virginia. Members of the Casey-Shortt VFW #9640 will conduct military graveside rites. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. The Ray family will receive friends from 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Sunday evening at Hurst-Scott Funeral Home. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Memorial Park

Rt. 52 Bluewell  
Bluefield, WV 24701

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 14. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home  
1401 2nd Street  
Richlands, VA 24641  
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

## Service

JUL 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Hearrel Ray* ”

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Hearrel Ray* ”

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Lisa Harrison lit a candle in memory of Hearrel Ray* ”



**lisa harrison** - August 08, 2013 at 01:32 PM



“ *Judy West lit a candle in memory of Hearrel Ray* ”



**Judy West** - July 20, 2013 at 12:58 PM

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“ Jessica Hash, LPN And Family lit a candle in memory of Hearrel Ray



Jessica Hash, LPN and family - July 19, 2013 at 07:11 PM

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Jessica Hash, LPN and family

Jessica Hash, LPN and family - July 19, 2013 at 07:12 PM



“ America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of Hearrel Ray.



July 12, 2013 at 09:07 PM

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“ Kyle, Carolyn and Christopher Duty purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Hearrel Ray.



Kyle, Carolyn and Christopher Duty - July 12, 2013 at 09:05 PM